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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Rahul Surana, et al.

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Semiconductor Manufacturing Tool Using
Metrology Data

Examiner: McDonald, Shantese L.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 6, 2006, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

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